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All my goods are fresh. Try them and see **BOB.**

AROUND THE TOWN

Dr. and Mrs. G. Reid were visitors in Calgary for a few days last week, returning on Saturday.

The Citizens Band has been engaged for Carstairs sports, which will be held on July 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle and family have removed to their homestead at Munson.

The Didsbury Citizens band will take part in the Westcott sports on Monday.

M. E. Jones, of the City Meat Market, has installed a fine refrigerator in his store.

A. Jury, who is employed on the Innisfail electric light works, was a visitor in town on Monday night.

Westcott people support Didsbury in all their undertakings. Didsbury should do the same on July 1st, Westcott sports day.

Messrs. H. Bodine and T. C. Burroughs of the Knowlton coal mines were visitors in town on Tuesday.

Leigh S. Curtis has put in a fine ice cream and soda water fountain. It is a dandy and one of the best and cleanest fountains made and makes a handsome appearance in his store.

Next Sunday will be observed as Patriotic Sunday in the Presbyterian church throughout Canada. At Knox church Rev. Mr. Marshall will speak on the subject of "Good Citizenship."

What about the Didsbury Tug-of-War team? The Didsbury silver cup is to be pulled for at Westcott on Monday so it is up to some one to get the locals together for a little practice so that the cup can be brought back to Didsbury.

Monday next, July 1st, is Dominion Day and of course a Dominion holiday, so all stores and business places will be closed on that day. The postoffice will be opened for the delivery of mail from 11 a. m. to 12 a. m. and from 2 p. m. to 2.30 p. m.

Several Didsburyites went to Crossfield last week to take in the fair and races. Two of our local horses won prizes, that owned by Messrs. Macpherson and Findlay, "Tan Pan," and "Larkhart," owned by Mr. A. Lindquist.

Edmonton Capital: "Catcher Stark of the Damsters, maintained his reputation as best catcher in the league, grabbing off a foul fly by Barrett right on the players bench, falling over in the attempt but maintaining his grip on the ball."

An interesting Children's Day program, consisting of special music and various children's exercises, will be rendered in the Ev. church on Sunday afternoon at 1.45. A special offering in aid of missions will be taken. In the evening at 7.30 there will be communion service, and preparatory to this a service on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, both of which will be conducted by Rev. L. H. Wagner, P. E., of Regina. A cordial invitation to attend all these services is extended to everyone.

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N. WEICKER, Didsbury Meat Market

SAMPLE MARKET FOR GRAIN

How it Will Work Against the Best
Interests of the Farmers of the
Canadian Northwest

The efforts of the dealers in wheat and other grains to establish a sample market in Winnipeg are being made by men who desire and who appear to be determined to regain the control of the grain trade they held for many years, but which they have now lost. Selfish motives are the prime moving principle that govern all the steps they are now taking. Let us examine the true inwardness of the matter.

There are only about seventy-seven days from the time the crop commences to move, in the fall of the year, until the close of navigation at the head of the Lakes. The grain crop of Western Canada is taken from Fort William and shipped across the Great Lakes by boat to the eastern markets. After the close of navigation the grain grown in the west which has not gone across the Lakes by boat must necessarily go by rail routes to the Atlantic ports either around the north shore of Lake Superior or through the United States.

Under the proposed system of sampling, every carload of grain passing through Winnipeg on all the different lines of railway will be subject to a wait of twenty-four hours, except Sundays and holidays when the wait will be twice that long.

The plan of those in favor of a sample market is that when a carload of grain arrives in Winnipeg a sample is taken from it and sent up to the Grain Exchange and the grain disposed of on that sample. Immediately after it has been disposed of the railroad is notified and the car sent forward to its destination which may be East to Fort William, Eastern Ontario or the Maritime Provinces, or to points in the Western Provinces, where the grain is used for local consumption. Thus every car arriving in Winnipeg would have to remain in the railway yards until the grain was sold. This would mean a delay of at least one full day.

The delay in transit of cars arriving in Winnipeg on Saturdays would be much longer, as the samples taken from cars arriving at eleven o'clock or later on that day would not reach the grain exchange in order to be disposed of before it closed for that day, because on Saturdays the exchange closes at one o'clock. Therefore the samples from the cars arriving in Winnipeg at eleven o'clock and also every car arriving between that hour and the hour of opening of the grain exchange on Monday morning, would have to remain in Winnipeg until Monday evening. That is, on Monday afternoon the orders for forwarding of cars to their destination would begin to pour in to the railway companies, and all the cars which had arrived after eleven o'clock on Saturday morning would not start to move until late Monday afternoon.

It is of the first importance, in fact it is imperative, that cars should reach their destination and be unloaded without delay, and returned west for another shipment. Anything that would tend to prevent prompt unloading should be guarded against. Such is the plain statement of the scheme of a sample market, as proposed by the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. As a specimen of presumptuous selfishness it has seldom been equalled. It is nothing short of a barefaced attempt to hold up the farmers of the West through the manipulation of their market, for the benefit of the dealers—the middlemen—who always try to get the lion's share of anything in sight. They are always on the spot, and want the opportunity a first choice affords them to glean just what they want. The remainder, not desired, is allowed to pass on to the Lakes.

The ring have roay visions of fat commissions from Eastern millers, who cannot attend the sample market and get a first choice. The ring will be able to glean all the best grain in the sample market. The remainder will go forward and be sold by grade.

But the general market will be injured by the average quality of, say, No. 1 Northern deteriorating in proportion to the quantity of the very best wheat which will be taken out of the whole crop on the sample market and the farmer will receive a less price on his crop.

French Birth Rate

According to statistics issued, the birthrate of France during the last year was more deplorable than ever, and the number of deaths exceeded the births by 34,869, representing the loss of population. The birthrate was the lowest ever recorded being only 742.114.

On the other hand, France compares favorably with her neighbors in the matter of marriages, which numbered 307,788, being rather more than in 1910. Divorces are increasing, the number last year being 13,058. Another interesting point is that France has more old people than any other country.

His Gain

Patient (a sportsman who has been badly peppered)—But hang it all, doctor, since the accident I've gained two pounds!

Doctor—Ah, but you forget the amount of shot you received in your back—Tattler.



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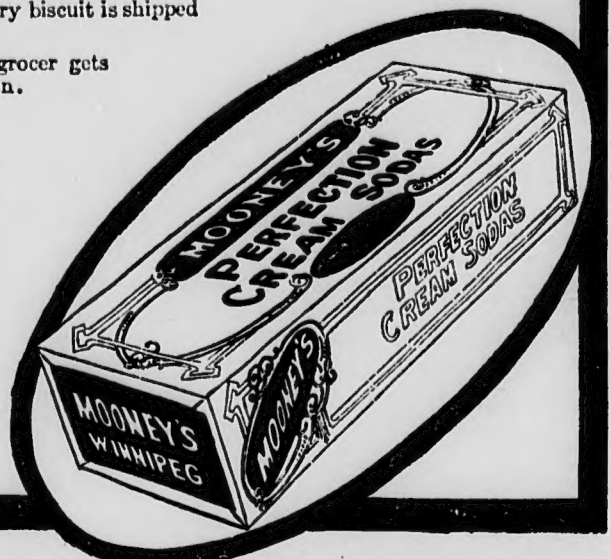
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New Species of Elephant

The ancient proverb, "Always something new from Africa," receives fresh illustration from the reported discovery in that country of a new species of elephant. It is known to the natives as the water elephant, and a herd of five of them was seen on the shore of Lake Leopold II, by one of the explorers sent out by the Paris Museum of Natural History. Compared with the known elephants they seemed much smaller, with shorter trunks, longer necks and no tusks. Before more minute examination was possible the animals plunged into the lake. An account of this new discovery is given in La Nature.

Minard's Liniment, the Lumberman's Friend.

What He Wanted Him For. Mark Twain did not cherish a fondness for the average office boy. He had an idea that the genus was insufferable, and invariably when the humorist sallied forth into some business office there was immediate armed hostility between him and the boy.

One day Mark went to see a friend at his office, and the office boy on guard, in icy tones, said:—

Whom do you wish to see?

Mark mentioned his friend's name.

What do you want to see him about? came next from the boy.

Mark Twain immediately froze up and then with a genial smile he said: Tell him, please, I want to ask his hand in holy matrimony.

He (moralizing)—After all, man is weak. She (cooly)—In union there is strength.—Boston Transcript.

DOCTOR'S SHIFT

Now Gets Along Without It

A physician says: "Until last fall I used to eat meat for my breakfast and suffered with indigestion until the meat had passed from the stomach."

"Last fall I began the use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and very soon found I could do without meat, for my body got all the nourishment necessary from the Grape-Nuts and since then I have not had any indigestion and am feeling better and have increased in weight."

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The parts in the wheat and barley which Nature can make use of for rebuilding brain and nerve centres are retained in this remarkable food, and thus the human body is supplied with the powerful strength producers, so easily noticed after one has eaten Grape-Nuts each day for a week or 10 days.

"There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

BIG THEATRICAL STARS

At the Walker Theatre During Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition

For the two weeks beginning July 8th, in which are the dates of the Industrial Exhibition, July 10-20, at Winnipeg, the beautiful Walker Theatre will offer its patrons two v-v superior attractions. The first will be the well-known comedienne, Henrietta Crossman, in her most successful play, "The Real Thing," and the second attraction will be "The Spring Maid," which, on Thursday, July 11 will begin an engagement covering nine nights and three matinees.

Henrietta Crossman is one of the most magnetic and brilliant stars on the dramatic stage and her latest play, "The Real Thing," gives her exceptional opportunity to display her talents and charm. Her role is that of a bright and fascinating woman who saves her sister from developing into a dowdy and a drudge.

Her little sister has let herself go after marriage and soon finds that her husband is seeking solace elsewhere. Jess Lorraine, however, takes the young sister in hand and establishes peace in the household. There is any amount of good, clean comedy in the story, and Miss Crossman may be trusted to bring it out in full force.

"The Spring Maid" is one of the big European and American light opera successes of the day. When it was presented in Winnipeg at the Walker Theatre early in the season just over, it scored tremendously, as it tells a delightful story, it full of clever dialogue, its music is sparkling and haunting, particularly the famous "Day Dreams" waltz, and it is lavishly staged. It will be presented at the Walker again during Fair Week by exactly the same company, including that wonderful fascinating and clever little prima donna comedienne, Mizzi Hajos. The only change in the cast will be the addition of Frank McNaughton, the celebrated English comedian, who will have the leading comedy role. There are seventy people in the company.

These two attractions, so widely different and so very superior, should afford ample entertainment to all visitors to the Winnipeg Exhibition who are out for good dramatic and musical fare.

Worms feed upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple and effective cure is Mother Graves' Worm Extremator.

Provision for Deduction

Nation characteristics are suggested by this story.

A certain gentleman complained to three friends—an Englishman, a Scotchman, and an Irishman—that his servant broke a great deal of china.

The matter-of-fact Englishman gave the short bit of practical advice. Dismiss him!

Take it out of his wages, spoke the thrifty Scot.

Objection to that course was made on the ground that the wages were less than the amount of the damage. The Irishman at once came to the rescue with, "Thin raise his wages."

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonic known, combined with the best blood purifier, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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He Misunderstood Orders

Mistakes made over the telephone are sometimes as humorous as they are serious. One is told involving the suburban woman and her husband.

You know, she said, I wanted to persuade our hens to lay in the nests we had provided for them. So I telephoned my husband to bring home a couple of artificial eggs with him. Well, and didn't he?

Didn't he? He brought home a pair of cork legs.

Ask for Minard's and Take no Other

Very Much Married

Waitress—Have another glass, sir? Husband—(to his wife)—Shall I have another glass, Friedrike?

Wife—(to her mother)—Shall he have another, mother?

A maid was brushing her mistress' hair when she mentioned that she had heard Miss Evans sing in the parlor the night before.

And how did you like it? asked the mistress.

Oh, mum! answered the maid, it was beautiful! She sung just as if she was gargling!

Kill the Cut-Worm

Farmers at this season of the year should watch for the appearance of cut-worms, and should use no time in ridding their fields of this pest immediately upon their appearance. The following remedy is recommended by several agricultural departments:

Bran 100 pounds.
Paris green, dry, 1 pound.
Sugar, 2 to 3 pounds.

Mix thoroughly and dampen slightly with water and spread over the section where the worms appear.

Hon. Price Ellison, minister of Finance and Agriculture of British Columbia, has accepted an invitation to address the great international Dry-Farming Congress in Lethbridge, Alberta, October 21-26th, and he has notified the officers of the organization that he is making every effort to have one of the largest exhibits of fruits ever gathered in British Columbia to display to the great land shows in Chicago and New York after the Dry-Farmed Products Exposition at Lethbridge.

Oil of Cedar Wood

The demand for oil of cedar is very limited in England. Consul General Griffiths states that it is used principally in soapmaking. The current market price in London is 14 to 16 cents per pound when handled in one-quarter ton lots or more. The demand for cedar wood oil is said to be greater in France and Germany.

A Personal Affront

Striking members of the Amalgamated Skirt Stitchers were holding a conference.

Where is that tall, thin girl, who joined the union last week? enquired the walking delegate.

The secretary arose to reply:—She handed in her resignation this morning.

What was her reason?

She took offence when she was called on to act as a picket.—Judge.

KEEP IT HANDY

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H. E. OSMOND, EDITOR.



We received a letter this week that again brought forcibly to our mind that the public of Didsbury is and has been too much concentrated on itself to look after outside means of advertising itself and the splendid resources in the district. Outside of our own publication, which does its little best, not a scrap of literature of any kind whatsoever is in existence to give or send to enquirers about our section of the country. Other districts with half of the advantages that we have are bringing in new settlers and buyers all the time by their energetic work along publicity lines of this kind and there is no reason why we should not do the same. Some time ago we laid before the people the fact that the Lethbridge Dry Farming Congress had allowed two pages in their Official Call, which is sent all over the world, for a description of Didsbury and its district at \$50 per page, which in our estimation was not a big price considering the number of copies that were to be issued and the extent of its distribution. However, nothing was done. There was no body of public spirited citizens in existence to look after getting the work going and the Town Council apparently thought it was out of their jurisdiction, although we understand they made a grant a short time ago of \$75 for a real estate sale scheme that will not be half the benefit that this general advertising would have been. Yes, we need a Board of Trade very much. Here is the letter referred to above:

Publicity Bureau, Government of Alberta
449 Main Street,
Winnipeg, June 20, 1912.
Editor Pioneer, Didsbury, Alta.

Dear Sir—The Alberta government maintains a Publicity and Information Bureau in Winnipeg at the above address. There is a splendid opportunity of distributing literature, maps, etc., through this office.

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If Didsbury will forward a supply of booklets or folders, I will see that they are widely distributed. This office is at the service of your town and district. Make use of it.

I am yours truly,
R. J. DALEY,
Publicity Commissioner,
Province of Alberta

A sprained ankle may as a rule be cured in from three to four days by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle. For sale by all dealers.

Farmers!

Editor Pioneer:

The Farmers Union would like for all of you to become members and help better the farmer's condition. Many times only a few of us are found at the meetings. A few can do only little and it sometimes makes those few think that they have few farmer brothers. This should not be. Farmers all have the same ends to work for, and we must get together if we wish to accomplish something in our interests. Every class of people are organized except the farmer. The farmers constitute the last flock that straggle about separately, consequently the wolves keep annoying us, and we get our wool clipped at our expense and get but little for it. Just take notice of the farmers when in town and see if you cannot read on their faces that they have an uphill pull to make. Watch their sons, also their daughters, and last but not least their wives. Are they a happy lot? I say no. True there are a few who fare fairly well, but those are generally not found amongst the few at the meeting, but they reap the benefit of what those accomplish who do attend the farmers meetings. By getting together we can raise the price of our grain by about 5 cents a bushel. Figure this out and see what it means to you. This will give you good pay for twelve days lost for coming to the meetings, and there are other things.

U. F. A. MEMBER.

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Yours truly,
R. B. MARTIN.

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C. HIEBERT, Didsbury.

ESTRAY—One dark bay mare, weight about 950, six or seven years old, branded 7 on left jaw, 2 on left shoulder and 4 on left hip, small white saddle mark around girth, and white face, feet all black. On premises of CHAS. DICKAU, 4 miles east and 1 1/2 south of Didsbury, N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 2, Tp. 31, R. 1, W. 5.

ESTRAY—Brown mare, 7 years old, white strip in face, front and left hind feet white, scar on right hip, branded 93 on right shoulder. Buckskin horse, aged, white face, right hind foot white, right front foot grown out long, branded X on left shoulder and S on right hip. ABE SNYDER, Sec. 31-29-4, 6 miles east and 2 south of Didsbury.

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CHAPTER XXIII
Betrayed

Denzil Warne drew two chairs forward and offering a cigar to Harry he lit another himself.

He was in one of the talkative moods rare to him, but in which he now and then indulged when he had a good listener of the male sex at this time of the day, when, with him, a stiff glass of whisky and soda had done duty for the feminine tea.

"Have you seen Lady Anne Daubeneey?" he began.

"Several times."

"What do you think of her?"

"She is very beautiful."

"But cold and distant in her manner, I suppose you thought?"

"More like an empress, certainly, than an everyday woman."

"That is the impression she always gives. But I assure you, as a girl, she had as much feeling as anyone."

Lady Anne has about three thousand a year in her own right. A trice, Mr. Claverworth, in the eyes of you American millionaires. But here in England it represents a good bit of capital. It was always my wish that my son should marry her. And I must say I was deeply disappointed when her father, Lord Newborough, placed her in the care of such a family as the Clavels. A rotten lot of Catholic spendthrifts, sir! a set of criminals and cutthroats, without even the sense to keep the property they were born to. A priest-ridden gang, spoiling the neighborhood by their vices and extravagances, the terror of every well-born man and every well-bred woman in the country, and—"

"You were going to tell me something about Lady Anne Daubeneey, I believe," Harry said, interrupting him, with ill-concealed impatience.

Denzil Warne stared at him in astonishment. He was not accustomed to having his diatribes cut short. But his wish to talk overcame his resentment, and he proceeded.

"Look at that picture of my son, Mr. Claverworth. What do you think of it?"

"If the picture be a good likeness he must have been a splendid fellow."

"The picture is a libel. He was twenty-seven, the age when he was murdered, not only the handsomest lad in England, but the best shot, the finest rider to hounds, and the clearest-headed man of business I have ever known. Every girl who met him fell in love with him. All, at least, except Lady Anne, and she was the only one he wanted."

"Yet she was being married to him?"

"You shall hear! My boy had asked her to marry him on every possible occasion, lying in wait for her when she rode or drove or walked. And she invariably refused him, to

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my immense disgust, for I had the marriage very much to heart, and I always feared lest she might fall into the clutches of that blackguard, Roger Clavel. His name was a byword in the neighborhood for his scandalous escapades. More than once I had sent to warn him that if I had the least chance I would get him locked up. And it was chiefly to spite me, I verily believe, that he set himself to persecute Anne Daubeneey."

"She detested him, did she not?"

"How could she help it? It was only for his badness that any woman liked him. My wife and I were getting so angry over her coldness to our boy that we were beginning to dissuade him from courting her. Then one bitterly cold night after dinner, I was sitting in the library, turning over some new books, when Lady Anne was announced."

"She came in her riding habit, shaking the snow from her hat, which she held in her hand."

"Mr. Warne," she said, "I have come to tell you that if your son Lucian asks me to marry him again, I will take him. I have quite made up my mind, and I could not go to bed without letting you know."

I asked her why she had changed her mind.

Because I am sure he is a good man and I am very fond of him, she answered.

It all came out afterwards that she did not dare to accept him before lest that madman, Roger Clavel, should murder him. That was in March, and the wedding-day was in June. The engagement was announced the next day, and Anne had to go and stay with friends in London because of the scenes Roger made until his parents turned him out of the house.

A girl who can ride ten miles through the snow to say 'yes' to the man she loves cannot be called cold, Mr. Claverworth.

No, indeed! Harry returned emphatically.

He fell into a brown study before the pictures, and barely listened while Denzil Warne recommenced his favorite theme—abuse of the Clavel family.

Even during dinner Harry's thoughts were with Lady Anne. But for that hideous tragedy which had brought about the murder of Lucian Warne and of James Collet, and the quickly-following deaths from grief of Sir Alan Clavel and of Mrs. Warne, and finally of the evil-doer himself, Lady Anne would now be ruling at Vale House as its mistress.

By Harry's side sat a beautiful young girl, all liveliness and sympathy and interest in him; yet he hardly saw her sparkling face, so busy were his thoughts with the image of another woman.

Dinner was at seven o'clock, and the carriage to drive Harry back to Crayborne had been ordered for nine o'clock. Denzil Warne adhered to the practice of getting rid of the ladies after dinner, and enjoying his cigar and his coffee and liqueur in the smoking-room which opened out of the dining-room.

Harry was such an excellent listener that he was beginning almost to like him. The coffee was served in some beautiful cups of old Saxe china, and Harry who was something of a judge of such things, expressed admiration for them.

He had the cup in his hand, and was examining it more closely, when his host, who was in the middle of a story about the cheap purchase of the service, stopped short, frowned, and settled his eyeglasses more firmly on his nose as he bent forward to scrutinize the hand of his guest.

Pardon me! he said abruptly, but do you mind telling me where you got that ring?

In an instant Harry realized what was coming. But his hand was steady as he put down the cup, and his voice was composed as he replied

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Little Bobby—Take out de gold-fish and let 'em play with the cat.—Monitor.

Teacher—What is a gargoyle, Tommie? Tommie—It's something the doctor gives you when you get sore throat.—Yonkers Statesman.

ANTEDATES BABYLON

Arizona Relics Indicate a Very Ancient Civilization

Still another "oldest city in the world" has been discovered. When T. Hewitt Myring found vases in Peru in ruins which were said to be 7,000 years old it was imagined that the remains of early civilizations had been pushed as far into antiquity as they would ever go. But A. Lafave, a mining engineer, has found the relics of a town in an Arizona tableland near Phoenix, which he insists are at least 10,000 years old. The buildings are on a level stretch of country where neither silt nor wash was possible and yet the ruins were covered with ten feet of prairie dust which the discoverer claims required ages to accumulate.

The buildings of sandstone show great architectural skill and in the walls were found a box of cotton balls and a sealed jar of corn, both well preserved. The Arizona climate does not permit the growth of cotton in the present age, so Mr. Lafave assumes that sufficient time must have elapsed since the cotton which he found was grown to have wrought a complete change in the character of the country. This period he also gauges as something like 10,000 years.

He is satisfied that the ruins are older than those of Nineveh or Babylon. He believes that the race which built this town was possessed of a high civilization from the abundance of artistically wrought pottery and that it subsequently was broken up by internal dissensions and possibly degenerated into the cliff dwelling people.—Chicago Tribune.

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HUGE EQUIPMENT PROGRAMME PLANNED BY CANADIAN ROADS

Railways Have Made Large Appropriations for New Equipment, but Manufacturers Find Orders Exceed the Capacity of Their Plants.

Ottawa.—Reports made to the board of railway commissioners of Canada by the Canadian Pacific Grand Trunk, Canadian Northern and Great Northern Railways of new equipment ordered by them and now actually under construction, disclose a huge equipment programme. The figures given do not include equipment for which appropriations have been made, but not ordered because of difficulty in finding manufacturers. American or Canadian to undertake construction of new equipment in the near future. All of the roads represented state through their officials that they are in the market for much more equipment than that included in the figures here given, but that the Canadian shops are away behind in filling their orders, which far exceeds their capacity, and that similar conditions obtain among the United States manufacturers.

We have appropriated \$19,000,000 for new equipment, but cannot find manufacturers who will take our money, is the way General Manager Leonard of the Canadian Pacific puts it. The Canadian Pacific reports that it has the following under construction now:

11,593 box cars, of which 7,080 are being built at its own shops in Montreal; 2,000 at Hammond, Ind.; 2,000 at Hegewisch, Ill.; 513 at Detroit, and that all are to be delivered between now and October. It has under construction 666 stock cars, of which it is building 465 in Montreal and 200 have been ordered from Halifax; 244

refrigerator cars being built at Montreal; 411 coal cars at Montreal, 42 tank cars being built at Detroit and 158 cabooses being built at Montreal. It also has under construction 52 passenger locomotives, 120 freight locomotives and 35 switch locomotives at Montreal.

The Grand Trunk reported that it has under construction 2,000 box cars by the Canada Car and Foundry Co., at Montreal; 250 refrigerator cars at Amherst, N.S.; 1,000 box cars by the Western Steel Car and Foundry Co., at Hegewisch, Ill.; 1,000 coal cars by the Pressed Steel Car and Foundry Co.; 250 automobile cars by the American Car and Foundry Co., at Detroit; 250 refrigerator cars by the same company at its Chicago works, besides 10 passenger locomotives at its Montreal shops.

The Great Northern Railway Co. reports that it has under construction 25 locomotives at the Baldwin Locomotive Works, and 1,500 box, 250 refrigerator and 1,000 ore cars under construction by the Haskell and Barker Car Company.

The Canadian Northern reports that it has under construction 1,911 box cars and 132 flat cars and 61 locomotives, all being built in Canadian shops.

This road also reports a large number of new round houses and other improvements in the west now under construction. Reports have not been received from the numerous smaller roads, but it is estimated that as much more equipment has been ordered by them.

STRATHCONA NOT TO RETIRE

Aged, But Not Infirm, High Commissioner Out for Re-Election on H.B. Board

London.—Lord Strathcona is one of the members of the Hudson Bay board who retires by rotation this year.

There was expectation in some quarters that he might wish to leave the duties of governor to some younger hands but it is understood, however, that yielding to the desire of the whole board will offer himself for re-election at the forthcoming meeting.

Richard Burbridge who also retires will offer himself for re-election thus continuing the association of the company with the Harrods Stores of which Mr. Burbridge is managing director.

There is no confirmation here of the rumored resignation of Hubert Burbridge, sale commissioner at Winnipeg.

Sir William Whyte, George Galt, and A. M. Nanton of Winnipeg, have after much consideration, accepted service as the Canadian commissioner in an advisory capacity.

In order to retain the fur trade, despite the increasing competition, the Hudson's Bay Company is constructing new steamers for service in Athabasca and the Slave rivers.

The company also acquired a majority interest in the Nascopie steamship company for Niab and Labrador, the straits and Hudson bay posts.

The Crown authorities still have before them the new charter to provide means for additional capital expenditure on buildings at Calgary, Vancouver, Vernon, Kamloops and Yorkton.

LEAVING FOR HUDSON BAY

Joseph Tyrrell and Prof. Stewart to Inspect New District

Toronto.—With a view of locating a harbor for Ontario at Port Nelson, Joseph B. Tyrrell, accompanied by Prof. L. B. Stewart, of the University of Toronto, who will act as surveyor and Ellis Thompson, the geologist will leave Toronto for Hudson Bay. In order to decide upon the best location for the ten miles of shore granted the province by the Dominion Government it will be necessary to survey the entire estuary, which will necessitate a great amount of preliminary work, and, owing to this, no date could be set by the party as to their probable return. If possible a portion of the five-mile strip south from the Nelson River will also be surveyed.

BOOK ROOM FOR WEST

Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba Request Branch House

Winnipeg.—At the Methodist conference which closed here a recommendation of the memorial committee was endorsed asking the general superintendent to call the western book committee at an early date and go into the whole matter of establishing a book room in the west similar to the ones now established in Toronto, Montreal and Halifax.

It is understood that both Saskatchewan and Alberta have made similar requests.

The conference which has just closed will always be memorable in view of the death of Principal Sparling of Wesley college during the sessions.

The meetings have been cordial and business-like throughout.

TWO COURSES FOR BRITAIN

In Naval Matters Supremacy Must be Kept at All Times or Lost Forever

London.—Lord Charles Beresford in a letter to the press strongly criticizes the policy of reducing the British naval strength in the Mediterranean and argues that the adoption of the programme which he submitted three years ago, estimated to cost \$640,000, would have prevented the present crisis.

Lord Charles said: "The government having apparently determined virtually to abandon the naval defence of the Mediterranean, what the nation must decide and decide quickly, is whether or not it will permit the weakening to the breaking point of what is the main link in the defence of the Empire."

He contends that the general strategic position has now as it objective rather France nor Russia, but another foreign power and that power alone.

He holds that the proposal that English responsibilities in the Mediterranean should be devolved upon France is a gross and palpable admission of weakness, adding:

There are two courses open to the country; one is the maintenance of the naval supremacy of Great Britain; the alternative is to resign our naval supremacy, but give up the colors of the Empire and rely upon the system of alliances which has always proved disastrous and which will prove equally fatal in the future.

The navy, he goes on to say, is undermanned, 20,000 short of the number of men required to place it on an effective footing.

The Daily Express announces a report whose source of information, it asserts are undoubted, that the government will alter its policy regarding the Mediterranean, having been convinced by Lord Kitchener's stand against the weakening of either the land or the sea forces.

WRITERS EXPLOIT NORTH

Will Attend 50th Anniversary of Bishop Grouart at Lesser Slave Lake

Edmonton.—Accompanying J. K. Cornwall, M.P.P., who has left on his annual tour of inspection of the Northern Navigation Company, are two well known Edmonton writers who will exploit the literary possibilities of the new settlement of the north.

The writers are Mrs. Arthur Murphy (Janey Canuck), and George B. Fraser, formerly of the Alberta Home-land.

Mrs. Murphy will stay over at Grouart for the celebration to be held at that town on the shores of Lesser Slave Lake on June 29, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of Bishop Grouart's ordination.

In the annals of the northern land the event will rank as one of the greatest historical interest in the development of the hinterland as synchronized with the career of the venerable bishop and missionary who has devoted his life to the promotion of civilization and the cause of his church on the frontier.

Many scores of Edmonton people and many sons of the church from all portions of the Dominion will congregate to do him honor on June 29 and among them will be Bishop Legat.

He (moralizing)—After all, man is weak. She (cooly)—In union there is strength.—Boston Transcript.

MONTREAL HARBOR CONGESTED

Elevators Are Loaded Up and Increased Accommodation Not Yet Available

Montreal.—Present indications are that the same conditions will prevail in the Montreal harbor as regards the grain congestion as last year. Although it is as yet very early in the season, the report comes from one of Montreal's largest transportation houses that the grain elevators are loaded up with grain, and the prospects are none too bright. It was supposed that the new elevator would overcome all the difficulties. It now seems, however, that this new elevator will not be in a position to handle grain until well on in the season.

The Montreal Transportation Company, which does an immense business in the handling of grain, at the present time has eleven boats, carrying half a million bushels of grain, waiting to be relieved. The elevators at Kingston are becoming overloaded, as a result of the insufficient facilities at Montreal's port, as the boats are unable to keep up their schedule, owing to the delay here.

Central West to Benefit Most

Winnipeg, Man.—That the significance of the Panama Canal for the commercial interests of the Central West is gradually gaining recognition is indicated in a comprehensive write-up on this subject in the current issue of Winnipeg Once-A-Week. Among other things it is pointed out that even at the present time the Canadian prairies are exporting nearly 200,000 bushels of wheat yearly, and this in spite of the entire inadequacy of railway facilities to handle the available traffic. All this, says the correspondent, means much to Vancouver and to British Columbia; but it means far more to the Prairie Provinces—to their agricultural and industrial development—to the growth and expansion of their commercial centres—and consequently to the increasing importance of Winnipeg as a distributing centre for farm implements and every kind of manufactured product.

Jail for 20 Years

Moose Jaw, Sask.—When the notorious Erickson, of Tompkins, 40 miles west of Swift Current, stood in the dock to receive sentence for the manslaughter of his two and a half year old stepdaughter, the prisoner wilted under the withering lash of the justice, who sentenced him to the penitentiary for 20 years. His Lordship Chief Justice Wetmore said that it was the worst case in his judicial career, and he had not even read of one for cruelty and horrible details to match with the present case. The tiny infant had been made the accused's football on all possible occasions, and for faults that no child was responsible for had to receive the most frightful punishment.

Mixed Farming Winning Recognition

Lethbridge, Alta.—In connection with the approaching dry-farming congress it is pointed out that a new interest is being created not merely in the problems of dry-farming, but almost equally in the related subjects of poultry raising and market gardening. As stated by M. C. Herner, of the Manitoba Agricultural College, poultry raising works in splendidly as a profitable branch of dry farming. The market demands are practically unlimited, and the price of dressed poultry and eggs is sufficiently high at all times of the year to make poultry keeping a paying business, even when prices are lowest. The equipment required to operate a poultry department on a dry farm need not be large.

Cement Plant for West

Montreal.—A million dollar cement plant at Medicine Hat is under consideration by the Canada Cement company as a step toward meeting the demand for this commodity in the great west.

Nelson Spencer, mayor of Medicine Hat, was in town a few days ago. He stated that he made this trip east to confer with F. P. Jones, the general manager of the Canada Cement company, in regard to the proposed enterprise and said his visit had been so successful that as a result Mr. Jones would be in Medicine Hat about Dominion day to get things started.

Big Shipment of Cattle

North Portal, Sask.—The second portion of the annual shipment of cattle for the Matador Land and Cattle company, consisting of 1961 head of cattle, passed through here recently. It required 28 cars to carry it and was destined for Waldreik, Sask., and are to be put on the companies ranch there. Mr. Somerville, their manager, was in charge. Inspector J. C. McMurtry journeyed to Harvey, N. D., and inspected them and so prevented delay at this point.

South Australian Wheat Crop

Adelaide.—The official returns of the last wheat harvest of South Australia give the crop at 20,352,000 bushels, and show that the area under cereals has increased by 200,000 acres. Considering the comparative dryness of the season, the yield is regarded as satisfactory.

Inland Revenue Increase

Ottawa.—Canada's inland revenue during May aggregated \$1,784,872, an increase of \$200,000 over the corresponding month last year. Revenues on liquors totalled \$24,759, and on tobacco, \$170,000.

CANADA FOR INVESTMENTS

Such Opportunities Not Offered Anywhere Else Declares Hon. W. T. White

Ottawa, Ont.—At the luncheon given by the Dominion government at the Chateau Laurier to the visiting British financial and business men, Hon. G. H. Perley, acting prime minister presided and proposed the toast of "Our guests" in a neat speech of welcome.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier in seconding the toast referred to the inauguration of the British preference fifteen years ago. He expressed regret that visits of this kind had not been commenced earlier for he was certain it would bear fruit. If full advantage had not been taken of the Canadian preference, Canadians were not to blame. He hoped that the present trip was an evidence that the British manufacturers have commenced to realize how great are their opportunities in Canada.

Hon. W. T. White, in replying to a toast to the Dominion told the visitors that Canada's total trade this year will pass the billion mark, while immigration figures will exceed half a million. He assured them on his responsibility as minister of finance that while occasionally bad investments have been made in Canada, there is no country in the world where the opportunity for profitable investment is so good.

Mr. White expressed the firm conviction that many of these present would live to see Canada's population exceed the present population of the British Isles.

BACK TO CANADA

Over 100 Families Leave East in First Colonist Train of Kind

Manchester, N.H.—Nearly five hundred New Englanders representing over one hundred families in Massachusetts and New Hampshire leave here on June 26 for the Canadian North west never to return.

This is the first colonist train from New England in the "back-to-Canada" movement, recently instituted by the Canadian Government.

The train will go direct to Prince Albert, Sask., and from that city the colonists will be sent to various towns in Saskatchewan, Alberta and points farther west. Amenee Cleroux, lecturer for the department of the Interior at Ottawa, will be in charge of the colonists.

They will represent prosperous families in Deerick, Manchester, Hooksett, Suncook, Concord, Frankland, Laconia and other New Hampshire cities.

SEEK PRAIRIE MARKETS

Ontario Government Will Aid Fruit Growers of Province

Toronto.—No time will be lost by the Ontario department of agriculture in arranging to keep Ontario fruit growers posted concerning the prairie markets. "It is the expectation to appoint a man this summer" said W. B. Roadhouse, deputy minister of agriculture. "He will look up markets, keep in touch with conditions, and keep in touch with the shippers at this end."

THREE EMPERORS TO MEET

George, Nicholas and William to Settle on Policy of Peace

St. Petersburg.—Czar Nicholas is preparing another important pronouncement on world peace. It is understood that it will be issued to the powers after the conference of the three emperors, which semi-officially announcement says will take place in July or August at Kiel. The Kaiser, King George of England and the Czar of Russia meeting to discuss as the heads of the three most powerful modern empires, a basis of lasting peace, will give an event to history more famous possibly than the meeting of the three emperors a century ago which emphasized only a pause in the European war.

To Represent Ontario in the West

Toronto.—The appointment of a man to represent Ontario in the west and keep the fruit growers advised of the state of the market is engaging the attention of the department of agriculture, and the announcement was made that such an official would be appointed. Following the lead of British Columbia which has a man in Winnipeg, Ontario will have one on hand this season.

Million for Double Tracking

Vancouver, B.C.—It is announced that the Great Northern had appropriated \$1,000,000 to build double tracks between Vancouver and Westminster, 12 miles. It is practically certain that over this line the Canadian Northern will make its entry into Vancouver.

Winter Wheat in Alberta

Lethbridge, Alta.—Precipitation to date has been eighty inches this month. Grain is progressing favorably all over the south. In Spring Coulee and Cardston districts winter wheat will be in head this week and should be ready for cutting about the last week of July.

Crystal Palace May be Gift to Empire

London.—Several boroughs surrounding London concur in the proposition that the Crystal Palace should constitute London's gift to the empire, the maintenance to be defrayed by the Imperial and Dominion parliaments.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON XIII.—SECOND QUARTER, FOR JUNE 30, 1912

Text of the Lesson, Comprehensive Quarterly Review—Golden Text, Matt. v. 17.—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Lesson I.—The appearances of the risen Lord, 1 Cor. xv. 1-11. Golden Text, Acts ii. 32. "This Jesus hath God raised up, whereof we are all witnesses." Always emphasize the gospel as set forth in this lesson and remember that everything depends on a risen living Christ, the same Jesus who lived on earth as a poor man, now at the right hand of God in the place of all power and still a real man, the Son of Man, waiting for the time to return and bring His kingdom.

Lesson II.—The use of the Sabbath Mark ii. 23 to iii. 6. Golden Text, Mark ii. 27. "The Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath." Consider the daring pride of man in judging the Lord of the Sabbath for using His own Sabbath, but they knew Him not and judged Him to be a mere man like themselves, yet a great teacher. He made so manifest their hypocrisy and formality and religious pride that they determined to kill Him.

Lesson III.—The appointment of the twelve, Mark iii. 13-19. Golden Text, John xv. 16. R.V. "Ye did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you," that ye should go and bear fruit." Mark the words, "Unto Him with Him, that He might send them forth to preach and to have power" (verse 13-15). He Himself is the great and only center, and apart from Him there is no fruit nor service nor anything worth mentioning.

Lesson IV.—The beatitudes, Matt. v. 1-2. Golden Text, Matt. v. 8. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." What a blessed time it will be on the whole earth when the principles of this sermon are lived out. Meanwhile, as heirs of the kingdom we should manifest these principles in our daily life, true poverty of spirit being the foundation of all, such a self renunciation that He may be seen in us.

Lesson V.—Poverty and riches, Luke vi. 20-26; xvi. 19-31. Golden Text, Luke xii. 15. "A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth." This is part of a discourse similar to the sermon on the Mount and illustrated by the story of the rich man and Lazarus. There is no life apart from Christ, and true riches are found only in Him.

Lesson VI.—The law of love, Luke vi. 27-38; Rom. xiii. 8-10. Golden Text, Rom. xiii. 9. "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." In 1 Cor. xiii. we are taught that without love nothing counts, not even giving away all we have, and our bodies to be burned. The only pattern of love is the love of God in Christ, and He expects us to love others as He loves us.

Lesson VII.—The old law and the new life, Matt. v. 17-26. Golden Text, Rom. xiii. 8. R.V. "He that loveth his neighbor have fulfilled the law." The law of God is holy and just and good, but because it is so perfectly holy no mere man can keep it, and the one thing it does for us is to shut our mouths and bring us all in guilty before God, and then we are ready to receive the righteousness of God as a free gift.

Lesson VIII.—Truthfulness, Matt. v. 33-37; Jas. iii. 1-12; v. 12. Golden Text, Eph. iv. 25. R.V. "Putting away falsehood, speak ye truth each one with his neighbor, for we are members one of another." The tongue is not our chief trouble, but the power back of it, and when it is set on fire of hell (Jas. iii. 6) it does give a sample of hell on earth. Let the Prince of Peace, the Lord of Glory, control it, and all will be well.

Lesson IX.—Hypocrisy and sincerity, Matt. vi. 1-18. Golden Text, Matt. vi. 1. R.V. "Take heed that ye do not your righteousness before men, to be seen of them, else ye have no reward with your Father who is in heaven." The word to Abraham is still in force, "I am the mighty God, all sufficient; walk before me and be sincere" (Gen. xvii. 1). Not as pleasing men, but God, must be our motto (1 Thess. ii. 4).

Lesson X.—Hearing and doing, Luke vi. 39-49. Golden Text, Jas. i. 22. "Be ye doers of the word and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves." All who truly receive Christ are saved fully, freely and forever by His finished work, and that alone, but all such must prove before men the reality of the new life by walking in the good works prepared by God for them (Eph. ii. 10; Tit. ii. 8).

Lesson XI.—Christ's witness to John the Baptist, Matt. xi. 2-19. Golden Text, Luke vii. 28. R.V. "Among them that are born of women there is none greater than John, yet he that is but little in the kingdom of God is greater than he." When the kingdom comes the least in his glorified body shall be greater than John was in his mortal body, and John himself will be greater than ever before.

Lesson XII.—The penitent woman, Luke vii. 36-50. Golden Text, 1 Tim. i. 15. R.V. "Faithful is the saying, and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." Even such as she was can find a place in His kingdom, but such as self righteous Simon cannot enter. Behold this woman so occupied with and devoted to Jesus Christ that she is oblivious to all else!

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Rural Municipali- ties Act

The following is a partial explana-
tion of the new Rural Municipalities
Act passed at the last session of the
Alberta Legislature and is taken from
the Camrose Canadian. There is not
much doubt that those districts which
are first to get the new machinery into
motion will make the most rapid pro-
gress in local improvements, in land
values, and in their ability to attract
and hold new settlers, and conse-
quently it will be to the advantage of
the districts first organizing.

NINE TOWNSHIPS WITH COUNCIL OF FIVE

The main features of the act are as
follows: A Rural Municipality will in-
clude nine townships instead of four as
in a Local Improvement district. The
council will consist of five members
elected by the district as a whole, and
they shall elect one of their number
chairman or reeve of the municipality.
If, however, any municipality desires to
divide its area into divisions and elect a
councillor for each division a by-law may
be submitted to effect the change. This
matter rests entirely with the people of
each municipality.

BORROWING POWERS

A Rural Municipality will have the
power to borrow money for local im-
provements. The maximum debt that
may be incurred shall not exceed five
per cent. of the assessed value of the
assessable land in the municipality.
These loans may be repaid during a

period of not more than thirty years
when the money is used for steel bridges,
concrete culverts, etc., and of not more
than twenty years when used for other
purposes. These loans, together with
the large revenues obtained from nine
townships, will put the council in pos-
session of sums of money sufficient to
undertake work of reasonable magnitude
and real substantial progress may be
made in the development of a district.
Nothing will do so much to increase the
value of land in a district as the build-
ing of good roads and bridges and the
drainage of wet lands. It is not fair or
reasonable that the settlers of to-day
should bear all the burden. The pioneers
have already suffered much that pos-
terity might enjoy comfort. The settlers
of today are entitled to the advantages
of living in decently developed com-
munities, and posterity and future
settlers who will inherit a land of peace
and plenty, and who will reap where
they have not sown, can well afford to
pay their share.

ADDITIONAL POWERS

The new municipalities will be given
control of their own weed inspection,
herd laws, pound laws, health laws,
drainage and other matters. Thus each
district will be able to solve its own
problems in accordance with local con-
ditions which vary greatly in a large
province.

HAIL INSURANCE

If twenty municipalities desire to unite
for the control of hail insurance within
their limits machinery is provided. The
reeves of the various municipalities will
form the hail insurance board, and a
rate may be levied upon all assessable

land within the twenty municipalities
concerned to provide a hail insurance
fund.

SINGLE TAX—REBATE FOR CULTIVATION
In the new municipalities the single
tax system will be followed just as it has
been in the Local Improvement districts.
Land only shall be taxed. Improve-
ments of every nature shall be exempt.
They may go a step further and allow a
rebate of twenty-five per cent. of the
taxes on all land that was under cultiva-
tion the previous year. This is a very
decided advantage to the actual settler
as against the speculator, and it will en-
courage cultivation. It is one of the
strong arguments in favor of forming a
rural municipality.

DRAINAGE

The securing of control of drainage is
a most important factor. Tremendous
improvement can often be made in a
district by comparatively small expen-
diture in drainage if the consent of all
parties can be secured. The local au-
thorities are the proper ones to control
the drainage act. In road building many
foolish mistakes in making long and
expensive deviations will be avoided
under the new system. We have seen
several hundred dollars spent on a
ridiculous deviation that was afterwards
abandoned, when fifty or one hundred
dollars would have drained the slough.

COLLECTION OF SCHOOL TAX

Each municipality will, on the advice
of the school boards, take charge of the
levying of school rates and collection of
school taxes in all school districts within
its limits. One assessment notice will
show both school and road taxes. One
set of officials will do the work. In case
of a deficit in any school district the
shortage will be advanced as a loan from
the general funds of the municipality.
No school will hereafter require to be
closed for lack of funds. The change
will be in the interests of economy and
efficiency as well as being for the con-
venience of taxpayers. Collections of
school taxes will be enforced by an ad-
ditional five per cent. being added every
six months, the same as for other taxes.

TAXES FIXED BY THE PEOPLE

In some quarters a fear has been ex-
pressed that the new system would mean
rapid increase of taxation. They fear
the county system of the United States
and eastern Canada, where the building
of court houses and registry offices and
the employment of hordes of officials
made taxation a burden on the people.
This fear is groundless. No such chan-
ges are made possible by the act. There

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pleased to send you copies of some of the nice letters that they have writ-
ten to me, which I received from those who have visited their holdings
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any money before a by-law has been
carried by a two-thirds vote of the electo-
rators authorizing them to do so. A sepa-
rate by-law must be carried in this way
for each individual loan. The people
have absolute control. The payment for
the councillors also will be a saving.
Only five are to be paid where formerly
there were nine. The allowance is \$4.00
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for the other councillors for a maximum
of ten days in the year. There is also
an allowance of ten cents per mile for
distance necessarily travelled in attend-
ing the meetings.

HOW TO FORM MUNICIPALITY

It is first necessary for some five rate-
payers to constitute themselves a "muni-
cipal committee" and present to the
minister a petition signed by at least
fifty ratepayers resident in the proposed
municipality asking that a vote be taken
as to whether or not a municipality shall
be formed. When the minister satisfies
himself that the petition is regular he
will authorize the vote, which must be
taken within thirty days of such author-
ization. A majority vote shall decide
the question. Petitions must be in prior
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organization shall come into effect on the
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"I cannot tell you what I suffered from liver and kidney derangements, indigestion and constipation, nor can I find words to express how much good this medicine has done me. I feel better than I have for five years and have given some of these Pills to friends, who tell me they have done them a wonderful lot of good. I want to express my heartfelt gratitude for the benefit derived from the great medicine."

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Death Roll of Alps

The number of fatalities due to mountain climbing in Switzerland has rapidly increased during recent years. According to an authentic compilation, ninety deaths were due to mountain climbing in the Swiss and Italian Alps during the year ended December 1, 1910. To the above figures must be added eighty serious accidents, four of which had fatal effects. The causes of the accidents were ascending mountain peaks without a guide, landslides, defects in the halesell (rope) and sudden setting in of fogs. For many years the English have had the greatest number of victims to lament. This year, however the Swiss are at the head of the list, followed by the Germans, English, Austrians and Italians respectively. Consular Report.

Extermination of Rats and Mice

If it were generally known that there is no trouble to rid a house, barn or building of rats and mice by the use of Gillett's Lye, it is doubtful if the article could be made as fast as it would be used for this purpose alone. The process connected with using it is very simple, the plan being to sprinkle a little of the article in and around the holes made by these pests in floors, partitions, etc. In addition to this it is well to use a thin piece of board about a foot square, or even smaller, and make a complete circle of the Lye on the board about a quarter of an inch deep, and inside of the circle place some meat or cheese. In endeavoring to get at the bait the feet of the rats and mice will be burned and the whole colony, whether large or small, will immediately disappear from the premises.

The plan is worth trying, but the good kind—Gillett's Lye—should be procured. Refuse the many cheap imitations and substitutes.

The Most Ancient Map

After some controversy about the age of various maps that have come down to us from ancient time it has been finally determined by savants that the oldest is in the form of a mosaic in a Byzantine church at Malaba, in Palestine. It is about 1,700 years old and purports to be a map of a part of the Holy Land.

Pills for Nervous Troubles.—The stomach is the centre of the nervous system, and when the stomach suspends healthy action the result is manifest in disturbances of the nerves. If allowed to persist, nervous debility, a dangerous ailment, may ensue. The first consideration is to restore the stomach to proper action, and there is no readier remedy for this than Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. Thousands can attest the virtue of these pills in curing nervous disorders.

'Tis Ever Thus

What sort of a baseball pitcher is he? Great when he wins a game; punk when he loses one.



CHIEF OF THE JURY OF AWARDS

Prof. W. H. Fairfield Chosen as Chairman of the Judges of the Dry-Farming Exposition

Lethbridge, Alta.—Prof. W. H. Fairfield, Superintendent of the Dominion Experiment Station on the easterly outskirts of Lethbridge, has been selected by the Canadian Board of Control as chief of the jury of awards for the International Dry-Farmed Products Exposition, October 21-26th next.

Prof. Fairfield is one of the best known and most successful experiment farm directors in Canada, and in the growing of wheat, oats, barley, corn and alfalfa he has years of study and has produced wonderful results through rotation of crops. He ranks as one of the greatest practical demonstrators of modern agriculture in Canada and he is a recognized authority on all matters pertaining to crops, tillage and seed. He is a graduate and former member of the faculty of Colorado Agricultural College.

The Ultimate Victim

The grocer stood in his little store; He had washed his windows and swept his floor.

And he said, I wonder who'll make a

roar

On the cost of things this morn-

ing.

No odds what's wrong, and no odds

what's right.

My load of worry is never light.

For somebody comes in and wants to

fight

On the cost of things each morn-

ing.

These fresh-laid eggs, do you under-

stand,

Were bought and bargained from hand

to hand

And the price went up as the eggs

went—and

I am blamed for that this morning.

This flour, this sugar, this bag of salt;

They came by routes that made

prices vault,

For the cost of things this morn-

ing.

The people rage and papers howl.

The reformers shout and the voters

growl.

And the housewife's face wears a bit-

ter scowl

When she orders things each morn-

ing.

Producer, railroad and middleman

Each makes the product pay all it

can—

And the folks put me in the roasting

pan

For the cost of things each morn-

ing.

—Chicago Post

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

Understood the Language

An Indianapolis public school teacher some time ago, she relates, received in her room a small boy from the Kentucky-Tennessee borderland, and she set about teaching him the intricacies of addition. She found he could run up or down a column of figures readily, but she could not make him understand how to "carry" from one column to another when the total was more than nine.

Finally the teacher called on one of the little girls in the class and told her she would give her a dime if she could make the newcomer understand the process. Next day the little girl called to claim the money.

How did you make him see it so quickly? inquired the teacher.

Oh, I told him when he got a number of two figures to put down the one on the right and tote the other across, and he knew what I meant right away.—Indianapolis News.

In the treatment of summer complaints the most effective remedy that can be used is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It is a standard preparation, and many people employ it in preference to other preparations. It is a highly concentrated medicine and its sedative and curative qualities are beyond question. It has been a popular medicine for many years and thousands can attest its superior qualities in overcoming dysentery and kindred complaints.

Rare Roman Coins

Coins buried for 1,600 years came to light at Dompreire, France, when a farmer was levelling his yard. These date from the Gallo-Roman period and number about 2,800. Of these some 2,000 are silver and the rest bronze. They had been buried in an earthenware vessel placed in a stone built hiding place. As to the silver coins, these are in a very good state of preservation and are fine specimens, but the bronze coins suffered much from the air. A number of rare pieces were found in the collection coming from the reigns of some obscure Roman emperors of the late period. The oldest coins date from the Emperor Trajan (63 to 117 A.D.) and the most recent from Diocletian. It is thought that the coins were buried about 315 A.D.

Dear Clara, wrote the young man; pardon me, but I'm getting so forgetful, I proposed to you last night, but really forgot whether you said Yes or No.

Dear Will, she replied by note, so glad to hear from you. I know I said No to someone last night, but I have forgotten just who it was.

Willie—Pa, what is a phenomenon? Papa—A phenomenon is your mother's idea of a model husband.

The Prussian city of Godesburg will spend nearly \$1,000,000 to build a municipal slaughter house.

ST. VITUS DANCE IN YOUNG CHILDREN

A Striking Example of its Cure
By the Tonic Treatment

St. Vitus dance is the commonest form of nervous trouble that afflicts young children, because of the great demand made on the body by growth and development, and there is an added strain caused by study. It is when these demands become so great that they impoverish the blood, and the nerves fail to receive their full supply of nourishment, that the nervous debility which leads to St. Vitus dance begins.

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Man as Quadruped

A prominent German biologist maintains that man made a serious mistake when in his development he made a biped of himself. He contends that the backbone structure of man was designed for a horizontal position and that many of the ills which he is subject to are due to this departure.

The Cautious Race

Sandy Hoyle, negro janitor of The Advocate, listened to a discussion by the foreman and the intelligent compositor on the commercial possibilities of the aeroplane. Sandy seemed deeply interested, but at the close of the conversation he shook his head solemnly and said:

White folks may do great things with them flying-machines, but one thing I know for sutt'n—they won't never need no Jim Crow on 'em.—Greenfield Advocate.

Strength of Japanese Navy

The present strength of the Japanese navy is as follows: Fourteen battleships of 22,234 tons, one time expired battleship of 10,960 tons, thirteen first class cruisers, 13,052 tons; seven second class cruisers, 38,052 tons; thirteen third class cruisers, 43,713 tons; fifty seven destroyers, fifty nine torpedo boats and thirteen submarines. — Scientific American.

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The United States derives practically all of its 6,500,000 pounds of chicle annually imported (for chewing gum) from Mexico and Central America. Evidently tropical South America would also afford a large supply. Only one business man in Lima appears to deal in chicle gum. He stated that he always had about five hundred pounds, more or less, in stock. His selling price is 4.50 soles (\$2.18) per arroba (twenty-five pounds), or seventeen soles (\$8.27) per quintal of one hundred pounds.

His supply comes from the department of Piura in northern Peru, where large quantities are said to be produced. He was unable to give exact figures as to the amount of production, but stated that he knew of shipments of one hundred quintal lots having been made from Piura, and that he believes that the supply is still abundant.

The gum is used here and in the department of Piura by makers of straw hats for giving a certain color and shine to the straw. It is also used as a varnish of an attractive yellow cream color for renewing so-called Panama hats.

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The solicitor was drawing up Enpeck's will. I hereby bequeath all my property to my wife, dictated Enpeck. Got that down?

Yes, answered the attorney.

On condition, continued Enpeck, that she marries within a year.

But why that condition? asked the man of the law.

Because, answered the meek and lowly testator. I want somebody to be sorry that I died.

Vienna's Gas Supply

The Vienna city council has purchased for \$900,000 the last remaining gas works owned by the English company which originally furnished the whole gas supply of the Austrian capital.

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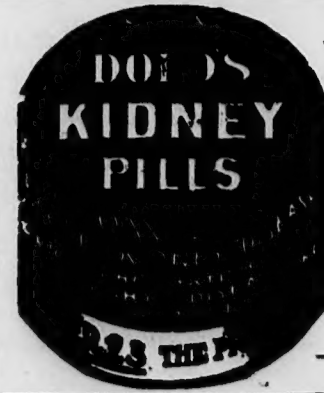
The Soldier's Farewell

Adjutant General Nathan B. Forest of the United States Sons of Confederate Veterans told at a banquet in Memphis a military anecdote.

A handsome young soldier, he said, smiling, lay in the last agony upon a battlefield. To the friend bending over him he murmured, hoarsely:

Tell Carolina my last thoughts were of her. Say I died with her portrait pressed to my lips.

He gulped and added: Tell Minnie and Grace and Harriet the same thing.—San Francisco Chronicle.



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AROUND THE TOWN

The town constable complains that people who tether out their cows are not careful enough in seeing that they are properly secured, with the consequence that they get away and roam through the town, which is contrary to the by-laws. He has not enforced the by-law much so far but states that he will have to do so if the owners of these cows are not more careful.

The band stand in the park on Railway avenue is completed all except the painting and is a credit to the builder, M. Ryckman, as well as the Town Council, although some of the rate-payers think that more money has been spent on it than was needful. However, if the rest of the park is put into shape as good as the stand it certainly will be a credit to the town.

Preparations for the coming provincial camp meeting, to be held in Didsbury from the 5th to the 15th of July, under the auspices of the non-denominational league, are now well under way. Preachers and visitors from the several western provinces, as also from the United States and Ontario are expected to be present.

We have just received a letter from the Secretary of the Red Deer Sports committee for publication objecting to our report of the recent football game in that city. Unfortunately it was received too late for publication, but in it is a very cordial invitation to the football team and the public of Didsbury to attend their sports on Monday next. They consider that the Didsbury team have a good chance to win the Citizens Cup.

Sneak thieves seem to be plying their trade again in Didsbury. Mr. C. L. Peterson has lost several carpenter tools and little Guy Murdock had \$7 stolen from his satchel last week. The lad had been delivering books of the Titanic disaster and the money was the proceeds of the sales. If it is at all possible to catch the parties who are doing this kind of work they should be given the extreme penalty of the law.

Messrs. Thompson and Channell of Calgary have installed an up-to-date moving picture machine in the Opera House and are showing some good pictures. They also have a pianist and singer and their illustrated songs are reported also as being very good. A change of programme is given every second evening. This is the programme for Thursday night: "Out for Mischief," "The Smoke of a 45," "Cupid's Pocketbook," Pathe's Colored Waterfalls of the World. Illustrated songs, selected by C. H. Channell. Programme starts at 8.45.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Wanted—Breaking or summer fallowing with gasoline plowing outfit. Terms not necessarily all cash as part time can be given. Box 256, Didsbury.

Wanted—Bright boy to learn clothing business at J. V. Berscht's.

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Visit and consult M. Mecklenberg, A.M., the only university graduate eye specialist in this province. He will again be in Didsbury on Friday and Saturday, July 26 and 27.

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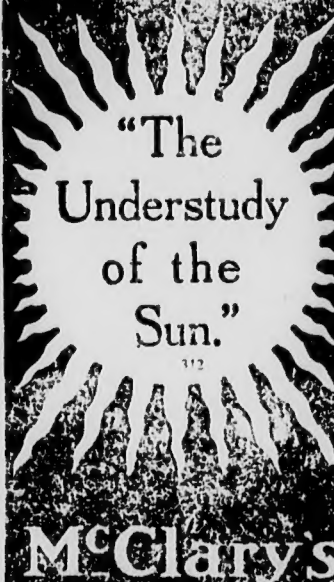
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More Accommodation Needed

A special meeting of the Didsbury School Board was held on Friday evening last for the purpose of considering the resignation of Miss M. Wright and the engaging of two teachers, and also the matter of equipping another room in the school house for teaching. All the members of the board were present.

Moved by Dr. A. J. Weart that the resignation of Miss Wright be accepted by the Board. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rupp that the Board furnish a fifth room for school purposes. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rupp that meeting adjourn to meet one week from date, June 28th. Carried.

Obituary

Mrs. Neva Read, daughter of Percy Sullivan, died at the general hospital in Calgary Friday morning, June 21st, 1912, aged seventeen years, four months and 26 days. Four years ago she was converted and united with the Methodist church at Troy, Idaho. Last January she was married to Hubert Read. Besides her husband, she leaves father, two sisters, three brothers and many friends to mourn the loss of a kind, tender wife, daughter, sister and friend. We commit her life into an all wise and merciful heavenly father. The funeral service was conducted by N. J. Aalborg. Words of hope and courage were spoken from John 14:1-3.



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Horse race, free for all running 1/2 mile, best 2 in 3 \$18.00
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Mule race, 1-2 mile 3.00
Men's 1/2 mile foot race 3.00
Boys' 1/2 mile relay race 3.00
Girls, 12 years and under, 50 yds. Boys' shoe race, 12 and under 1.25
Girls' potato race, 12 and under 1.75
Three legged race 1.75
Free for all little boys and girls under 6, stack of peanuts 1.00
Fat man's race, Peabody's fat man's overall, presented by J. V. Berscht 1.25
Running broad jump 1.00
Running high jump 1.00
Hop, step and jump 1.00
Chinning contest 1.00
Men's bicycle race, best slow rider 1.00
Boys' bicycle race, under 14, fastest rider 1.00
Citizens Band will be in attendance. An entry fee of 10 per cent. of purse will be charged on horse races.

Short Meeting

The Council met on Monday night, June 17th, in the Council chambers, Mayor Atkins, Councillors St. Clair, Wrigglesworth, Chambers, Cooper and Shantz being present.

Coun. Chambers-Cooper—That the policeman and scavenger be instructed to clean the main street and main alley on Friday of each week. Carried.

Coun. St. Clair Wrigglesworth—That the policeman, Mr. W. F. Sick, be granted one month's leave of absence, also that the Council accept Mr. Carl Sick as a substitute during his absence. Carried.

The Council then adjourned.